CLAIMS

I claim:

1. A method for a scripting tool to create a script, the method comprising the steps of:

receiving a sequence of commands to perform;

receiving an indication of one of a plurality of scripting languages;

outputting a script in the indicated scripting language, the script containing the sequence of user requested commands.

2. A method according to claim 1 comprising the further step of:

executing each command in the sequence of commands prior to outputting the script.

- 3. A method according to claim 2 comprising the further step of:
 - providing details of the response from execution of each command to a user.
- 4. A method according to claim 1 wherein the commands are to be executed against a Universal Data Directory Interface (UDDI) registry.

- 5. A method according to claim 1 wherein the plurality of scripting languages include at least two from JavaScript, NetRexx, Bean Markup Language (BML), JACL Adventure Creation Language, Jython, Python, VBScript, JScript and PerlScript.
- 6. A scripting tool for creating a script, the tool comprising:

means for receiving a sequence of commands to perform;

means for receiving an indication of one of a plurality of scripting languages;

means for outputting a script in the indicated scripting language, the script containing the sequence of commands.

7. A scripting tool according to claim 6 further comprising:

means for executing each command in the sequence of commands prior to outputting the script;

8. A scripting tool according to claim 7 further comprising:

means for providing details of the response from execution of each command to a user.

9. A scripting tool according to claim 6 wherein the commands are to be executed against a Universal Data Directory Interface (UDDI) registry.

- 10. A scripting tool according to claim 6 wherein the plurality of scripting languages include at least two from JavaScript, NetRexx, Bean Markup Language (BML), JACL Adventure Creation Language, Jython, Python, VBScript, JScript and PerlScript.
- 11. A computer program product comprising instructions which, when executed on a data processing host, cause the data processing host to carry out a method comprising the steps:

receiving a sequence of commands to perform;

receiving an indication of one of a plurality of scripting languages;

outputting a script in the indicated scripting language, the script containing the sequence of user requested commands.

12. A computer program product according to claim 11 wherein the method comprises the further step of:

executing each command in the sequence of commands prior to outputting the script.

13. A computer program product according to claim 12 wherein the method comprises the further step of:

providing details of the response from execution of each command to a user.

- 14. A computer program product according to claim 11 wherein the commands are to be executed against a Universal Data Directory Interface (UDDI) registry.
- 15. A computer program product according to claim 11 wherein the plurality of scripting languages include at least two from JavaScript, NetRexx, Bean Markup Language (BML), JACL Adventure Creation Language, Jython, Python, VBScript, JScript and PerlScript.